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In re Patent application of :
Katherine Giles et al. : Group Art Unit 2812
Serial No. 09/763,641 : Examiner G. Ghyka
Filed March 29, 2001 :

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING A FILM ON A SUBSTRATE

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, the following amendments
and remarks are submitted:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins
on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

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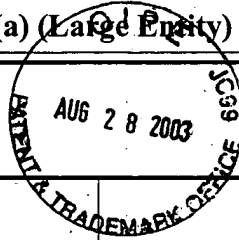
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**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
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Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING A FILM ON A SUBSTRATE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 3/28/03 in the above-identified application.
Date.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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TOTAL CLAIMS	41 -	33 =	8	x \$18.00	\$144.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$144.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$930.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$1,074.00

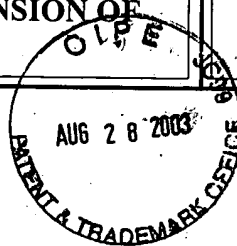
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